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FROM WASHINGTON.

[Special Despatch to the Chicago Tribune.]

WASHINGTON, May 2.

WEDNESDAY'S CABINET STORY.

The statement which the President desired to be sent by the Associated Press last night in regard to the opinions of the Cabinet upon the report of the Reconstruction Committee, has created little interest, except as to the new position assumed by Mr. Stanton. The intelligence of Congress is so strong in the belief that a plan of reconstruction will be agreed upon which will command the support of all loyal people, that the by-play of the President has, for the moment, ceased to attract very close attention.

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FROM NASHVILLE.

Legislative — Guerrillas Dim — Escape of the Penitentiary — A Negro Takes a Reserved Seat.

[Special Despatch to the Chicago Tribune.]

NASHVILLE, May 2.

In the Senate, a motion was made this morning, to take up the House Franchise bill. Lost—20 to 16. In the afternoon it came up in regular order, but was postponed by a vote of 18 to 16. Messrs. of Lincoln, and McFarland, of Madison. The Copperheads were voted down after considerable abuse, and the Senate adjourned.

The final vote will probably be reached to-morrow. The bill is sure to pass.

Mr. Mack of Lincoln, to the House. The bonds bill to issue out the penitentiary passed on the 3rd reading.

Lon. Ray and James Berryman of Harper's gang have been tried over the military authorities to the Sheriff of Sumpter County, Ky.

Brevet Brig. Gen. Fisher, of the 2nd Tennessee Cavalry, has been ordered to Nashville, Gen. Fisher commanded the Chattanooga District, and has a record of gallant service.

Gen. Ray, of Company A, Fifteenth Illinois Cavalry, and his quartermaster Sergeant, Gen. Hume, came to Nashville, in self-defense.

Gen. Gordon Granger ordered the Judge of the Green and Greene District, Judge Hamlin (by entire accident).

The high social circuitry of Nashville are much excited because a respectable colored man, brother in one of the churches, actually bought a reserved seat last night at the entertainment of Prof. Allen, Professor of Music, at the Masonic Hall. In fact the chivalry have made fools of themselves about it, in the opinion of heavily circumstances of all classes, both Unions and Secessionists.

FROM NEW YORK.

Distinguished Foreigner Arrived—Another Heavy Forger—A Foreign Forger Arrested—Coffee Mills Burned—The Hospital Ship—A supposed Cholera Case in the City—First Arrest under the Excise Law.

NEW YORK, May 2.—The Common Council have appointed Commissioners to locate the Central Park.

Count Casimir Leone arrived in the South on a visit to Washington, to-day.

John Rose, stock speculator in Exchange Place, has been arrested for forgery. He had purchased stock to the amount of $50,000 from Mr. Chandler, cashier for the same by his own certificate of the Continental Bank. The certificates proved forgeries. Rose is said to have cleared $50,000 by the trick. A. B. Sloan, a broker on the United Bank for $50,000 each, with a certificate of the payment of the money, and also two checks on Fourth and Nassau bank.

Fourth and Nassau bank has been arrested here quite a number of counterfeit notes on the Bank of Montreal, and to the amount of $6,000 Prussian dollars. He arrived yesterday in the Java, and was arrested on the dock by Detective Carpenter on the Scotia.

The coffee mill stores and mills of Jackson & Pickers, on Fulton street, were burned last night. Loss $15,000; partly insured.

Arrival—Bark Sweden, has arrived. Anticipated.

Another death from cholera on the hospital ship in quarantine. Not over cases. There are yet one hundred cases on board the ship.

The Health officer says the passengers on the steamer England might safely be allowed to come to the city.

The Metropolitan Board of Health have been all day engaged in the examination of another case of cholera on the Dutchess in this city, last night, on Third street, between 40th and 41st streets. The case was that of a Mrs.

THE COLERA

Antiquity of the Scourge.

HISTORY OF ITS TYRANNY FROM ANCIENT TIMES TO THE PRESENT.

Causes of Cholera—Theories of its Origin—Is it Infectious?—Symptoms of the Disease—Treatment—Remedies.

LITERATURE OF CHOLERA.

THE MADISON RIVER CANAL.

The Passage of the Steamer Ship Canal Bill Through the House of Representatives.

The New York Board of Underwriters.

Annual Meeting—Reports Submitted—Officers Elected for the Ensuing Year.

THE CHOLERA.

Yesterday was a very trouble and anxious day with the Commissioners of Health. Every hour brought its report of new cases and deaths, and the fear of the people increased with the number of victims. The Board met at 10 o'clock, and remained in session until late in the afternoon. Dr. Worthington, the President, was absent, and Dr. Hall, Vice President, presided. Dr. Hall, Health Officer of the Port, was present, and reported the number of cases and deaths on board the vessels in the harbor. There were 1,000 cases and 200 deaths on board the vessels in the harbor. There were 1,000 cases and 200 deaths on board the vessels in the harbor. There were 1,000 cases and 200

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

MONETARY.

Wednesday Evening, May 2, 1866.

The demand for money to-day was quite active, and rates ruled somewhat higher. Borrowers on call loans, particularly, had to pay a premium of more than the usual rate. Prevailing very high prices in the market for gold, favored such operations. Previously very high prices in the market for gold, favored such operations. Previously very bold brokers on call loans were only among banking institutions of a speculative character.

The consolidation of the Merchants' and the Union Banks has been completed. The agreement and capital of the consolidated company amounts to about $1,000,000, stocks will probably be increased to $2,000,000. The name of the new institution will be "Merchants' Union Bank," and the present officers will remain in charge. The business will be changed to that of the "Merchants' and Farmers' Bank." E. S. Hall is the Secretary of the new consolidated company.

The telegraph yesterday evening announced as of the passage in the House of Representatives of Horace H. Day's bill for the construction of a Ship Canal around the Falls of Niagara. The bill provides for the issuance of $1,000,000 of six per cent government bonds, to be dated May 1, 1866, and to mature twenty years from that date. The bill passed the Senate on the 7th inst., and Mr. Day is entitled to great credit for his zeal and energy in pushing the matter through. The passage of this bill will effectually evacuate the objection which was passed against the New York Legislature.

Gold opened in the New York trading at 135¾, and closed at 137. The following are the quotations at intervals during the day:

10:00 A. M.	135¾	11:00 A. M.	136¼	12:00 M.	136¾
1:00 P. M.	136¾	2:00 P. M.	136¾	3:00 P. M.	137

Here the gold market ended at 137¼, whereas yesterday it closed at 134¾. Showing a rise since yesterday of 2¼ cents to-day.

COMMERCIAL.

Wednesday Evening, May 2, 1866.

The Produce market to-day was quite active, and prices ruled higher on all the leading articles of Breadstuffs, and the market to-night closes with a very strong feeling. Provisions were also quite active, and prices ruled higher on Mess Pork, Lard and Hams. Groceries were in fair demand, and prices ruled steady. Freights were quiet.

FLOUR DULL.

WHEAT ACTIVE AND HIGHER.

CORN ACTIVE AND HIGHER.

OATS ACTIVE AND HIGHER.

RYE DULL AND NOMINAL.

BARLEY DULL AND NOMINAL.

PROVISIONS—Mess Pork ruled quiet and steady at $25.00 for old, and $25.50 for new. Lard ruled quiet and steady at 14½c. Hams ruled quiet and steady at 14½c for sugar-cured.

GROCERIES—Coffee ruled steady at 23c for Rio. Sugars ruled steady at 12½c for Cuba. Molasses ruled steady at 70c for Cuba. Rice ruled steady at 11c for Carolina.

FREIGHTS—Were quiet and steady.

WHISKY—Was quiet and steady at $2.10@2.12 per gallon.

The following are the receipts and shipments for the past twenty-four hours:

RECEIPTS.

Flour, bbls	3,000
Wheat, bush	30,000
Corn, bush	15,000
Oats, bush	10,000
Rye, bush	1,000
Barley, bush	2,000
Grass Seed, lbs	10,000
Hay, tons	50
Hides, No	200
Pork, bbls	100
Lard, lbs	50,000
Whisky, bbls	200
Wool, lbs	10,000
Lead, pigs	100
Lumber, M feet	500
Shingles, M	100
Salt, bbls	500
Coal, tons	100
Iron, tons	50
Copper, lbs	10,000
Tobacco, lbs	10,000
Wood, cords	100
Stone, perches	100
Lime, bbls	100
Cattle, No	100
Hogs, No	1,000
Sheep, No	100
Horses, No	50

SHIPMENTS.

Flour, bbls	2,000
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The Chicago Daily Market.

All sales of Grain reported in this market report one hundred bushels or more, unless otherwise expressed.

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FREIGHTS—Were quiet and steady at 7½c for Wheat to Buffalo. Corn ruled at the decline noted yesterday, 6c for Canal and 7c for Lake. Oats ruled steady at 6c for Canal. Rye ruled steady at 7c for Canal. Barley ruled steady at 7c for Canal.

FLOUR—Sales were: 100 bbls Spring Extra at $9.50; 100 bbls Spring Extra at $9.75; 100 bbls Spring Extra at $10.00; 100 bbls Spring Extra at $10.25; 100 bbls Spring Extra at $10.50; 100 bbls Spring Extra at $10.75; 100 bbls Spring Extra at

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THE CITY.

THE WEATHER.—The prospects are that we shall have fair weather for the remainder of the week. The temperature will probably rule nearly even during the week, and it is probable that the mean of the week will be about the mean of the month, or 50 deg.

TEMPERANCE.—Mayor Heath, of the Old Hundred and Twenty-fourth Precinct, Brooklyn, has issued a long list of saloons which he has refused to license, and which will be closed on May 5th.

BASE BALL.—A match game of base ball will be played on the Ogden Skating Park next Saturday afternoon, between the Excelsior Club of Brighton Corner, and the star Club of the city. The Excelsior Club is reported to be one of the best organized clubs in the West.

RIVER HOUSE LEASED.—A correspondent of the Detroit Tribune says: "Messrs. Bell & Co., of Chicago, have leased the River House, and will open it on the 1st of May next. They are gentlemanly and accommodating, and will make a good house."

ACCIDENT.—Yesterday morning N. E. Jones, a brakesman on the Chicago & Great Western Railroad, narrowly escaped being crushed to death by the collision of two railroad cars. One of the heads of the car struck him on the side of the head, and made a bleeding condition, to the office of Dr. Reynolds, who pronounced his injuries not serious.

TEMPERANCE.—The semi-annual temperance meeting will be held on Monday evening of next week, in the First M. E. Church in this city, and addresses are to be delivered by Rev. Dr. Bruce, Agent of the American Tract Society, and Rev. Dr. Patton. The public are invited to attend the meeting, giving special attention to the address of Dr. Bruce.

THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.—We learn from the Detroit Post and Tribune that the Chicago Tribune came in the contest to the Detroit Republican Convention, and have signalled their arrival in this city in due form. The Tribune is a live paper, and has served in the list of papers which this city is proud to call its own.—Detroit Post and Tribune.

The Chicago Tribune will be published by us after the 1st of June, and will be issued from the Detroit office. We shall endeavor to make it a live paper, and shall not be responsible for the opinions it may express.—Detroit Post and Tribune.

SPEAKING BOYS.—A sailor and his brother have been arrested in the Police Court.

ARREST.—Officer Hanson arrested Charles Rosser on a charge of stealing about sixty feet of rope from the vessel lying at the foot of Dearborn street. The rope had been used for the fire department, and was recognized by the owner. It was found in the possession of Rosser, who claimed that he was committed from which he had purchased it. He was committed to the County Court.

FAIRLAND FESTIVAL.—The 7 Sisters Fairland Festival will commence its Festival in the chapel, on the 7th of May, at the Washington street, corner of Halsted street, and will be opened to the public. Many rich and rare articles will be offered for sale, and preparations have been made for a pleasant time.

GOOD TEMPLARS.—The regular Pure Lodge, No. 670, Independent, meeting at 7:30 this evening, at their hall, corner of Clark and Division streets. All Good Templars are invited to attend. By order of W. C. T. H. Wm. Sweeney, R. S. Thursday, 7 o'clock, the regular meeting of Chicago Lodge, No. 1, at their hall, corner of Randolph and Dearborn streets. By order of W. C. T. H. Charles Hanson, R. S.

INSURANCE CONSOLIDATION.—Yesterday the Mercantile Insurance Company of Chicago and the Home Insurance Company of Cincinnati were consolidated under the name of the Home Insurance Company of Chicago. The capital stock of the new company is $1,000,000, and the assets $1,500,000. The officers remain the same as before the consolidation.

LAW INTELLIGENCE.

Proceedings in the Courts Yesterday—Orders—Judgments—New Suits—Trial Calendar.

UNITED STATES COURT—Before Hon. Thomas Drummond, Judge, and Wm. G. Hazelhurst, Clerk.—Nothing transacted at plaintiff's costs.

Same vs. Same. Suit dismissed at plaintiff's costs.

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The May term of this court will commence on Monday next.

New Suits.—Henry C. Ely, DeWitt C. Clapp and Lucius Tuttle vs. Thomas Hughes, in an action of trespass on the case.

George C. Wardstaph and William P. Jones vs. John S. Brooks. Attachment to recover damages to the amount of $1,000.

John F. Pollard and Rodney M. Wright vs. The Lawyers' Fire Insurance Company of Scranton, Pa. Action of assumpsit to recover damages laid at $5,000.

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COMMON COURT OF CHICAGO—*Before Hon. J. M. Wilson, Judge, and D. Gray and J. A. Jameson, Associate Justices, and Wm. Bross, Clerk.*—The May term commences on Monday next.

Judgments Entered.—Thomas Stigger and Henry J. Gyles. Action of assumpsit to recover damages in the sum of $500.

CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY.—*Before Hon. Richard Prendergast, Judge, and Wm. F. Foster, Clerk.*—Nothing transacted. Court adjourned to Monday next at 9:30 a. m.

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FAIRLAND FESTIVAL.—The 7 Sisters Fairland Festival will commence its Festival in the chapel, on the 7th of May, at the Washington street, corner of Halsted street, and will be opened to the public. Many rich and rare articles will be offered for sale, and preparations have been made for a pleasant time.

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INSURANCE CONSOLIDATION.—Yesterday the Mercantile Insurance Company of Chicago and the Home Insurance Company of Cincinnati were consolidated under the name of the Home Insurance Company of Chicago. The capital stock of the new company is $1,000,000, and the assets $1,500,000. The officers remain the same as before the consolidation.

LAW INTELLIGENCE.

Proceedings in the Courts Yesterday—Orders—Judgments—New Suits—Trial Calendar.

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Same vs. Same. Suit dismissed at plaintiff's costs.

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WHO ARE GENTLEMEN?—*The North Star*, a quarterly paper published in the interests of the Society of Friends, (Yearly), in its issue of April 1st, has a curious editorial, in giving the number of persons in attendance upon a certain Yearly Meeting, the aggregate of which we will not publish. It then says: "Of these there were many guests, a certain number of strangers, and another part which it calls Seventh-day visitors, the ruling principle of which seems to be to eat the best of neither belief nor profession. A Friend who was present at the Yearly Meeting, was informed by the writer in the North Star to indicate that Seventh-day visitors are not of Seventh-day principles, and he expresses his determination to stand aloof, and to be known, from the profession, whose only profession to worship the Divine Being, make a distinction in favor of one nominality over another.

SEVERE WEATHER.—We have a Spring this year which is even more wayward and variable than usual. Friday (the homogeneous) was variously assorted to indicate all the way from 20 degrees to 70 degrees in the shade, while on Tuesday night the whole region of country lying around Chicago, from Lake Michigan to the prairies, was visited by a frost which was severe enough to kill the young fruit, blossoms, blossoms of which were called out by the warm weather, but only to be nipped by the cruel frost. It would seem as if the prospects for a heavy fruit crop were to be much better the case of May.

The Sewing Women's Difficulty.

DEERE, Illinois:

Dear Sir: I see by an item in the card of A. C. Cobourn, which you have published that he, although professing so much integrity and benevolence of heart, has refused to pay the girls who did his clothing as a sewing women's society a bill of fifty-three dollars, for work done by them. We have opposed the election of Mrs. Fowler as Superintendent of the Home for Friendless Women, on the ground that she was not a suitable person for the position, and we very much regret that our opposition was not heeded. Mr. C. commenced shoeing himself at his own, and continued: "I will give all I can afford to the poor, but I will not pay a cent to any one who is able to support himself." I have no expectation of a better remuneration for my labor than I have received from Mr. Cobourn, but when Mrs. Fowler took possession of our rooms, she promised us that we should be paid for them. Now we were getting fifty cents for the same work done, and that the material of the society was furnished by a very generous friend. Many of the people who had no business with it, and whom we had to turn away, have been paid for their services, being told the society had no funds. Mrs. Fowler came in and asked, "What means this situation?" and offered to take the books from the Secretary. She said that she would see that the girls who had not been paid were very busy now. Yours truly, ELLEN M. HOOPER, Sec. Women's Union.

We publish this letter in deference to the request of the author, who claim they have a right to reply to Mr. Cobourn. We know, as yet, nothing of the facts in the case, and must decline to further investigate the matter. Here the discussion is now closed.—[Ed. Tribune.

A Pressing Want Supplied.

The following announcement by telegraph, yesterday, will be received with great satisfaction by the many patrons of the railway lines connecting at Pittsburgh:

PITTSBURGH, May 2.

Vice L. Kimball, Chicago:

Our New Union Depot Hotel opens to-day with a public dinner, under the auspices of the Pittsburgh Railroad Company. No pains or expense have been spared to make this the best-ordered dining hall in the country.

J. M. C. CARNEGIE.

LOCAL MATTERS.

It makes the heart glad, to be speedily relieved from the sufferings of years. Mrs. J. S. Stewart, on Monroe street, has experienced years of suffering from the severest spinal affection. Her husband, grateful to relieve her, procured a bottle of Marvell's Electro Magnetic Fluid, and using it according to directions, found relief from the first application. To-day it is to be an excellent remedy, and I would not be willing to keep house without it." All the druggists have the Fluid for sale.

Stoves — Home Companies Cook stoves for wood or coal at Lautenschutz's, 177 Lake street.

Dr. H. W. Sherwood, Dentist, has removed his office to Nos. 13 and 15, Lombard Block, Revere purchased Dr. Sherry and Hall's improved system of artificial teeth. Persons desiring to have their teeth filled with gold, or to have artificial teeth inserted in accordance with the latest improvements, are invited to call at the above rooms, as no charge will be made for examination.

A REMARKABLE FACT—The Cotton Dress Association of Connecticut, which has been in existence 20 years, has 15,000 patrons with inquiring eye, all of whom to their signatures crossed that it was done without pain. Dr. Cheesebro has been in practice in this city for two years, and has performed over 2,000 operations without pain. Dr. Cheesebro and all his assistants use the Nitrous Oxide Gas. It is the only really safe anæsthetic now in use.

Iron Fluxorines — Cultures. — The three best known Tonics, arranged in a manner to combine the two principles, vegetable and mineral, thereby rendering them more effective in their action upon the system in the form of a Syrup. Prepared by Dr. Culbertson, Physician and Chemist, Proprietor of Culbertson's Fluxorines, Incorporated State of Culbertson Block, Chicago. Also, Culbertson's Fluxorines, Culbertson's Fluxorines, Culbertson's Fluxorines